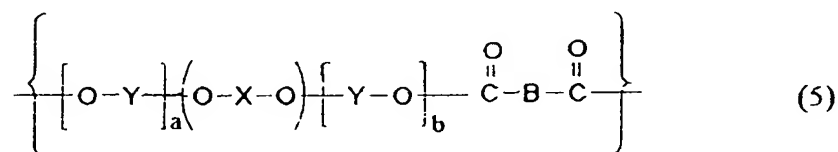
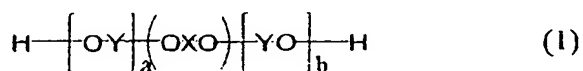


## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

**Claims 1 to 9. (Canceled)**

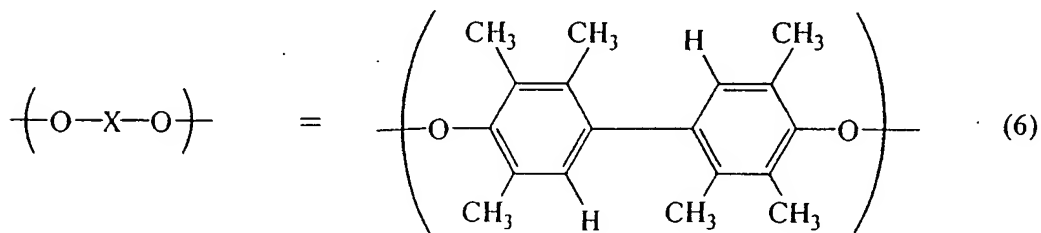
**Claim 10. (Previously Presented)** A laminate comprising a film having a thickness of 1-1,000  $\mu\text{m}$  and made of a resin composition containing a polyester and metal foil(s) laminated on one surface or both surfaces of the film,

wherein the polyester has a structure of the formula (5) which is obtained from, as a raw material, a bifunctional phenylene ether oligomer having a number weight of 500 to 3,000 and having a specific structure of formula (1),

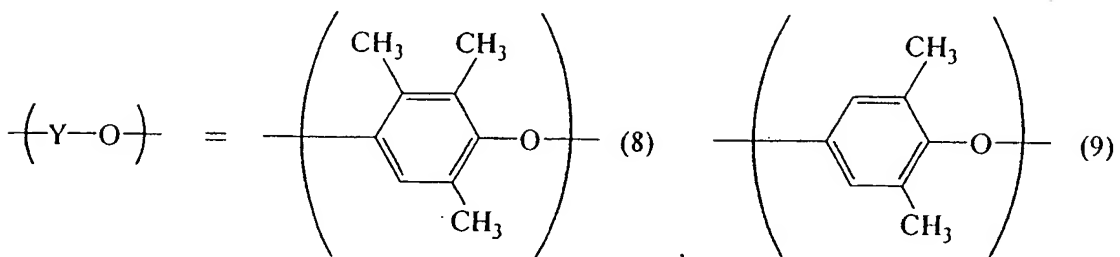


wherein each of a and b is an integer of 0 to 30, provided that at least one of a and b is not 0,

-(O-X-O)- is represented by the formula (6), and



-(Y-O)- is an arrangement of the formula (8) or the formula (9) or a random arrangement of the formula (8) and the formula (9),



**Claim 11. (Canceled)**

**Claim 12. (Previously Presented)** The laminate according to claim 10,

wherein the -(Y-O)- in the formula (1) and the formula (5) represents a structure of the formula (9).

**Claim 13. (Previously Presented)** The polyester according to claim 10,

which has a weight average molecular weight of at least 10,000.